GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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SOCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR EARTHQUAKE
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the World Bank has asked the South Asian countries including India, to put in place a social risk management system to protect the poor from various calamities;

(b) if so, the details of suggestions made by the World Bank; and

(c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY)

(a): No Sir, as per information available, World Bank has not made any specific request with regard to natural calamities.

(b) & (c): Do not arise.